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Via ECFS  
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to  
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I chose a competitive provider, a local business, because I was getting biannual price hikes, spotty service, and poor customer service from the big company (at&t). My business didnt matter to at&t, who cares about dsl to old homes on old infrastructure anymore? Sonic, our local business, absolutely does, and does it cheaper and more responsively.

Competition is the soul of the market, and monopolies arent what America should be about.

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